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Agency of Human Services

~ CROHN'S DISEASE INJECTABLE MEDICATIONS ~

Prior Authorization Request Form

Vermont Medicaid has established coverage limits and criteria for prior authorization of injectable Crohn's disease medications. These limits and criteria are based on concerns about safety when used with other medications, and efficacy. In order for beneficiaries to receive Medicaid coverage for these drugs, it will be necessary for the prescriber to telephone or complete and fax this prior authorization request to MedMetrics Health Partners. Please complete this form in its entirety and sign and date below. Incomplete requests will be returned for additional information.

Use this form for Injectable Crohn's disease medication prior authorization requests only.

Submit request via: Fax: 1-866-767-2649 or Phone: 1-800-918-7549

Prescribing physician:

Name:_____

Phone #:_____

Fax #:_____

Specialty: _____

Beneficiary:

Name:_____

Medicaid ID #:_____

Date of Birth:_____ Sex:_____

Diagnosis: _____

Contact Person at Office: _____

Will this medication be billed via the: □ pharmacy benefit or □ medical benefit (J-code or other code)?

Pharmacy (if known)**:**_____ Phone:_____ &/or FAX:_____

Please select the following 'preferred' drug therapy from the VT Medicaid Preferred Drug List:

- ☐ **Cimzia** _____ Strength & Frequency:_____ Length of therapy:_____
- ☐ **Humira** _____ Strength & Frequency:_____ Length of therapy:_____
- ☐ **Remicade** _____ Strength & Frequency:_____ Length of therapy:_____

For any other injectable Crohn's disease treatment, please explain medical necessity for non-preferred product:

Drug:_____ Strength & Frequency:_____ Length of therapy:_____

Medical justification: _____

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List previous therapies tried and failed for this condition:

Therapy	Reason for discontinuation	Dates Utilized

Prescriber comments:

Prescriber Signature:_____ Date of this request:_____

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